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DAILY HERALD.

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AN UNFAIR CRITICISM.

The city council is not open to the criticism levelled against it in a local paper with respect to its dealings with Messrs. Donald Fraser & Sons, and the re-erection of the Aberdeen mill.

It is possible that the councils of recent years failed in their duty towards the Messrs. Fraser by not extending the free protection service to their valuable property. They are heavy ratepayers, their industry is an important one, affording profitable employment to a large number of men, and helping to build up the city, and they should receive as generous treatment as other citizens who expect to have their property protected from the ravages of fire.

The present council no doubt should have taken steps before the Aberdeen mills fire to extend the water service to that locality, and that this was not done, is a matter of regret, but as we understand it, the present criticism is because the aldermen have failed in their duty in not meeting the Messrs. Fraser in a generous spirit after their property was destroyed. It is on this point that the Herald thinks an injustice is done the council, which very promptly resolved to extend the water mains to the Aberdeen mills, and appointed a committee to confer with the firm and urge them to rebuild their property.

If no conference of practical value has been held it is not the council's fault, for that body is ready and anxious to confer with the Messrs. Fraser on the subject, but they have not been afforded the opportunity. From what has transpired between the council and firm, it is known that the latter are not yet in a position to decide as to rebuilding their mill, and when they reach a conclusion on the subject it will be time enough for the council to act. We do not believe that the Messrs. Fraser have any kick to make against the present council's action with respect to the firm's interest, and we are quite sure that when the firm is ready to treat with the council, the latter will be prepared to meet them in a generous spirit.

There is no question of the desirability of the council holding out every possible inducement for the firm to continue their extensive enterprise in this city, and the ratepayers will back the council up in any reasonable proposition it may make to retain the Messrs. Fraser's interests in Fredericton.

TRURO'S NEW INDUSTRY

Stanfield Co. Re-organized With Big Capital to Run Knitting and Worst- ed Yarn Mills.

Truro, N. S., Jan. 13.—(Special)—Truro is to have a large industry established this year.

A corporation under the name of the "Stanfields Ltd.," will be organized for the purposes of acquiring the plant of the Truro Knitting Mills Co. Ltd., and also for establishing an extensive worsted yarn mill in Truro. The capital is \$750,000, in shares of \$100 each, 2,500 preferred 5,000 common shares.

John Stanfield, and Frank Stanfield of the old company will remain as managers on salaries, the former as president of the new company, and the latter as treasurer, and they will hold a controlling interest in the company.

COLD IN YUKON.

Thermometer at 50 Below Zero— Man Frozen to Death.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 13.—(Special)—Telegrams from Dawson state that the coldest weather is being felt there now.

The thermometer dropped to 50 below zero.

At 40-mile Brook, Frank Kubel and an unknown man were frozen to death, and Edward Webster had his legs frozen so bad that amputation was necessary.

At North Forks, two men were frozen to death, and three men of the United States signal service corps had their feet frozen at the Telegraph station.

GOOD SKATING.

The recent thaw and subsequent cold snap has put the river in excellent condition for skating, and a large crowd of young people are out this afternoon enjoying the sport.

BITTEN BY A HORSE.

St. John Woman will Sue Animal's Owner for Damages.

St. John, Jan. 13.—(Special)—Mrs. Manford Ritchie, of the North End, was badly hurt as a result of being bitten by a horse on Thursday night. Mrs. Ritchie was passing a team when the horse grabbed her by the arm.

She has placed the matter in the hands of Hon. H. A. McKeown, who will sue Edward Arthur, owner of the horse.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—(Special)—The stock market quotations today were as follows:

Dominion Coal, 77½, 77, 77.
Dominion Iron & Steel, 28½, 28½, 28½.
Dominion Iron & Steel preferred, 78, 77, 77.
Nova Scotia Steel, preferred, 68½, 68½, 68.
C. P. R., 175½, 176, 175½.
Twin City, 118½, 118½, 119.
Montreal Power, 88½, 88½, 88½.
Rich. & Ontario Navigation, 75, 76, 76.

PRISONER'S LUCK.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 13.—(Special)—James Morrison, who is serving a term in the county jail here, has fallen heir to a small fortune. Some weeks ago Morrison appeared and wanted to be sent up for three months. He will not be informed of his good luck until he comes out of jail in February.

BIG HOTEL PROJECT.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special)—Incorporation has been granted to the Montreal Hotel Co. One of the incorporators is David Russell. The others are N. Smith, S. Finley, V. E. Mitchell, and C. R. Dabbin. The capital is half a million, and title from the Dominion Square Land Co. charter gives them power to build a hotel.

THEIR MOTHER DEAD.

Charlottetown, Jan. 13.—(Special)—The death occurred here yesterday of Mrs. Thomas Pierce, mother of Rev. Thomas Pierce, of St. John, and Rev. Henry Pierce, of Long Reach, N. B.

ST. JOHN BURGLARY.

St. John, Jan. 13.—(Special)—The fruit store of Thomas Potts & Company was burglarized last night. The thieves, who evidently got in by a false key, secured only five dollars from the till.

AMONG THE CURLERS.

Rinks Selected to Play the Histle and St. Andrew's Clubs at St. John's Shute Cup Series.

The skips elected to play the Histle and St. Andrew's clubs of St. John in that city Jan. 23 and 24, met yesterday afternoon and selected the following rinks for those contests:

F. T. Thomas J. G. Settle
G. H. Ferguson R. S. B
T. A. Wilson H. V. Bridges
H. C. Rutter R. F. Randolph
skip skip

W. A. B. McLellan Harry Crotty
C. W. Hall F. W. Porter
F. P. Hatt A. E. Massie
J. H. Hawthorn Jas. Tibbitts
skip skip

John Neill J. A. Winslow
Dr. Bridges A. W. Edgewood
L. C. Macnutt C. H. Allen
T. G. Loggie S. D. Simmons
skip skip

Two games were played last night in the Shute Cup series, Dunbar defeating Edgewood and Walker beating Crowe. The rinks and scores were:

Morrison Kerner
Howie Doran
McMurray Ryan, Dr.
Dunbar Edgewood
skip 12 skip 7

Irvine McPeake
Crotty Bruce
McNally McKay
Walker Crowe
skip 12 skip 4

MARYSVILLE NEWS

Jan. 13.—There was a large attendance at the Oddfellows' hall last Thursday evening, the occasion being an excellent entertainment under the auspices of the St. Agnes Guild. Rev. Dr. Duffy occupied the chair and read the story of St. Agnes, while the performers sang hymns, and in other ways took part in the in the very enjoyable performance. Prof. Cadwallader's orchestra was present and furnished delightful music throughout the evening. Cake and coffee were offered for sale, and taking it all in all it was an unusually pleasant evening.

A large delegation of temperance workers, representing Star Council, R. T. of T. of Fredericton, drove to Marysville last Thursday night, to visit No Surrender Council, and a very pleasant evening was spent in speeches, music, reading, etc. Mr. Fred Todd, P. S. C., of New Bruns-

wick, was in the chair. As the Marysville council was not aware of the coming of the brothers and sisters from Star council, they had not prepared any refreshments, nevertheless a beneficial and enjoyable evening was spent together.

The Misses McConnell are visiting friends in St. John.

The many friends of Mr. Sandy Arnold will be pleased to hear that he is getting along finely since crushing his foot some weeks ago. Beginning tomorrow, Rev. Mr. Thomas, pastor of the Methodist church, is to preach a series of special sermons.

There is to be a grand rally meeting in the Methodist church tomorrow night after the regular services. Rev. H. H. Ferguson will occupy the pulpit.

All the sports are looking forward to the great hockey match next Monday night, between the home team and Sussex. This will be the first time in Marysville for the Sussex team, and it is reported that they have wonderfully improved since they played in Moncton a few weeks ago, and are putting up excellent hockey.

Marysville people to attend.

Mr. Harry A. Gibson, one of our most enterprising and hustling young citizens, has almost completed his large ice house, which is being erected in the rear of his handsome residence. Mr. Samuel Minne, who is doing the carpenter work, will soon have the building finished. Mr. Gibson, who has charge of the town's ice business, is bound to keep his customers well supplied this winter, as the new ice house is a large one. The next question that arises, will be there any ice to harvest?

Mr. John Sullivan, of Minto, Sunbury Co., passed through here today, bound for Chatham, to consult Rev. Father Morrissey, in reference to injuries received last fall, by falling from a building he was shingling at his own home.

The many friends of Mr. David Stephenson will be sorry to hear that he is very low at his residence. He is engineer of the dye house in the cotton mill, and was taken suddenly ill while attending to his duty last Monday evening, and had to be carried home, where he has been in bed ever since.

Clyde McInnis, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George McInnis, is very low at his father's residence.

BITS OF NEWS.

Mrs. Clara Wiswold, of West Roxbury, Mass., in a dispute with her husband, Edward Wiswold, Friday night, shot him with a revolver. The man was not seriously injured. Mrs. Wiswold was arrested on a charge of assault and battery upon her husband.

Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, sentenced to be hanged on Friday at Trenton, N. J., because she killed a man who invaded her home and attacked her, was granted a thirty-days' reprieve Friday by the Court of Pardons, on the ground of newly discovered evidence that will clear her of the charge of wilful murder.

The Montreal Gazette Printing company have secured a signal triumph over its striking printers, the men from the news department returning in a body Friday night, and asking to be re-employed. With a few exceptions they were all taken back, but it is announced that hereafter the printers will be conducted on the open shop principle.

Aurelio Herrera of Bakersfield, Cal., Friday night knocked out Young Corbett of Denver in the fifth round of a fight at the Pacific Athletic Club's pavilion at Los Angeles. Herrera's victory was an easy one. Corbett's exhibition was disappointing. He lacked the vim and the dash that had won so many battles for him, and his only forceful blows failed to inflict any damage on the well conditioned body of his opponent.

General Oku, who commanded the left army during the war with Russia, made a triumphal entry into Tokio Friday. The general who was accompanied by his staff, drove in the imperial carriage to the palace. The greatest enthusiasm was manifested by the people who lined the route, cries of "Nanshan" and "Teling" greeting the general who isolated Port Arthur at a critical stage of the campaign.

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FRIDAY, 26TH JANUARY, 1906.

for the construction of additions to the station and freight shed at Norton, N. B.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Station Master, Norton, N. B., and at the office of the Chief Engineer, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager.

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